

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RONALD HARRIS,

Plaintiff,

v.

FRESNO COUNTY SHERIFF'S
DEPARTMENT, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:21-cv-00052-AWI-SKO

**ORDER ADVISING PLAINTIFF OF
SCREENING REQUIREMENT
PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1915A**

(Doc. 1)

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Plaintiff Ronald Harris, proceeding pro se, filed a complaint on January 14, 2021, and paid the filing fee on February 5, 2021. (Doc. 1.) Plaintiff is advised that pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915A, the Court must conduct an initial review of every complaint in a civil action in which a prisoner seeks redress from a governmental entity, or officer or employee of a governmental entity, to determine whether the complaint is legally sufficient under the applicable pleading standards. The Court must dismiss a complaint, or portion thereof, if the Court determines that the complaint is legally frivolous or malicious, fails to state a claim upon which relief may be granted, or seeks monetary relief from a defendant who is immune from such relief. 28 U.S.C. § 1915A(b). If the Court determines that the complaint fails to state a claim, leave to amend may be granted to the extent that the deficiencies in the complaint can be cured by amendment. Plaintiff's complaint will be screened in due course.

1 If appropriate after the case has been screened, the Clerk of Court will provide Plaintiff with
2 the requisite forms and instructions to request the assistance of the United States Marshal in serving
3 Defendants pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4.

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5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

6 Dated: April 5, 2021

/s/ Sheila K. Oberto
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE